



2011 Utah Original Writing Competition Winners

Category A: Novel

First Place - **James W. Ure**, Salt Lake City, *Skywriting*

Second Place - **Rachel Marston**, Salt Lake City, *How to Speak to God*

Honorable Mention - **Shauna K. Brock**, Salt Lake City, *Shadows in the Spotlight*

Category B: Biography/Autobiography

First Place - **Lance Larsen**, Provo, *Seventeen Ways to Float*

Second Place - **Maximilian Werner**, Salt Lake City, *Gravity Hill*

Category C: Collection of Short Stories

First Place - **Larkin G. Weyand**, Lehi, *All the Pennsylvania Left to See*

Second Place - **David M. Jones**, Salt Lake City, *O'Connor Court and Other Stories*

Honorable Mention - **Larry Menlove**, Payson, *Fur or Feathers, the Teeth or Venom*

Category D: Young Adult Book

First Place - **Michelle Renee Stimpson**, West Jordan, *Somalis Don't Say a False Proverb*

Second Place - **Erin R. Jackson**, Provo, *Banyan Trees*

Category E: Poetry

First Place - **Danielle Beazer Dubrasky**, Cedar City, "The Sand Man"

Second Place - **N. Colwell Snell**, Salt Lake City, "Withdrawal"

Category F: Short Story

First Place - **Lance Larsen**, Provo, "Ode to Milk"

Second Place - **Adrian E. Stumpp**, South Ogden, "Nativity: A Christmas Story"

Honorable Mention - **Eirene R. Henderson**, Provo, "Burnt Offering"

Category G: Essay

First Place - **Erin R. Jackson**, Provo, "Amputations"

Second Place - **Dawn Lonsinger**, Salt Lake City, "Consonance"

Honorable Mention - **Mikey Stephenson**, Murray, "Waiting for the Morning Sun to Rise"